POSTSCRIPT

Antoinette Slovik, widow of Pvt. Eddie, says she was stiffed by author William Bradford Huie, who sold 5 million copies of a book about the executed deserter in 1954. Mrs. Slovik, who is confined to a wheelchair, said she went to the Pentagon to arrange for Huie to gain access to the records of her husband's court-martial. For this he dropped $1,000 on her, she says. He says he had to spend a lot on research.

—Robert H. Williams